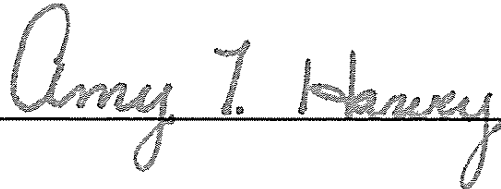


I, Amy T. Harvey, Deputy Town Clerk of the Town of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of (2023-01-25/O-1) enacted by the Chapel Hill Town Council on January 25, 2023.

This the 26th day of January, 2023.



**Amy T. Harvey
Deputy Town Clerk**



AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ARTICLE I, CHAPTER 2, CODE OF ORDINANCES RELATED TO FILING FEES FOR ELECTION (2023-01-25/O-1)

WHEREAS, originally Chapel Hill had no filing fee; and

WHEREAS, in 1971, the General Assembly set the filing fees according to the Town population, with Chapel Hill fee set at a minimum of \$25; and

WHEREAS, in 1974, North Carolina General Statute 163-294.2(e) establishes that the governing board shall set the filing fee for elections between \$5.00 and less than one percent of the annual salary of the office sought; and

WHEREAS, the Council last set this fee on March 25, 1974 at the lowest amount allowed by statute; and

WHEREAS, several decades have passed since the fee was last set, and Council deems it prudent to set the fee at an amount more appropriate to the present day.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Town of Chapel Hill that section 2-2.1 of the Code of Ordinances, Town of Chapel Hill, North Carolina, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 2-2.1. - Filing fees for election.

Filing fees for election to town office shall be as follows:

Council\$ 25.00

Mayor~~1~~50.00”

(Ord. No. O-74-19, § 1, 3-~~25~~-74) * *Reference correction also identified.*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town Clerk send a copy of this ordinance to the Orange and Durham County Board of Elections and to the State Board of Elections.

This the 25th day of January, 2023.